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FROM: SAF/AQ

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SUBJECT: Call for Nominations--2002 Air Force Outstanding Scientist; 2002 Air Force

Outstanding Engineer; and 2002 Air Force Outstanding Science and Engineering

Educator Awards (SUSPENSE: 13 June 2003)

Air Force Scientists and Engineers (S&E) are assigned to a host of organizations and locations throughout the world, but all have one thing in common-their efforts and achievements are vital to the overall success of the Air Force. To recognize their contributions, we are establishing new Air Force level awards. These awards will recognize the efforts and achievements of all S&Es regardless of duty location or the type of scientific or engineering work they perform. We are asking each MAJCOM, FOA, and DRU to nominate S&E members for recognition at the Air Force level. Nomination packages are due 13 June 2003.

The attachment outlines the criteria and procedures we will use to select the winners, and represents our draft of an AFI to govern the process. Please prepare all nomination packages according to these procedures. If you have any questions regarding these awards, please contact my action officer, Maj Ron Grogis, at DSN 425-7849, <a href="majority-ronald-grogis@pentagon.af.mil">ronald-grogis@pentagon.af.mil</a>. Thank you for your support.

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Draft AFI for S&E Awards

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